

Singles & Doubles 6 games Team 3 games

## THE NATIONAL BOWLING ASSOCIATION, INC. 47<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL WESTERN REGIONAL JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT

TNBA and USBC Youth Certified (TEAMS, SINGLES & DOUBLES)

## SQUAD TIMES 10:00AM & 2:00PM SATURDAY, APRIL 6, 2024

Entries Close March 21, 2025

MAIL ENTRIES TO: Pam Sterling WRJT Director 5005 Tehachapi Way Antioch, CA 94531

### ENTRY FEE \$90

Awards/Scholarship\$50.00Expenses\$39.00AJR Donation\$1.00TOTAL per bowler\$90.00

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									TEAM TOTAL	
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Class I 2 3 4 5	Team 700 & over 699-600 599-440 439-237 236 & under	Scratch 840 800 720 560 400	Class Singles   I 175 & over   2 174-150   3 149-110   4 109-60   5 59 & under	Scratch 210 200 180 140 100	l 2 3	Doubles 350 & over 349-300 299-220 219-120 119 & under	Scratch 420 400 360 280 200	BRACKETS AVAILABLE Teal Sing	OFFICE U Do not write i e Rec'd m Entry # le Entry # bles Entry #	
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Make Certified Checks or Money Orders payable to:

Western Regional Junior Tournament or WRJT (No League, Company or Personal Checks accepted)

ENTRY FEE MUST ACCOMPANY ENTRY NO EXCEPTIONS! (No refunds after teams have been assigned times) PERMISSION SLIPS AND LEAGUE STANDING SHEETS MUST ACCOMPANY ALL ENTRIES.

#### WESTERN REGIONAL JUNIOR TOURNAMENT RULES AND REGULATIONS

(Read these Rules and Regulations carefully)

### FAILURE TO READ IS NO EXCUSE

Members of the National Bowling Association Junior Program and United States Bowling Congress under the direction of the western Region or groups are eligible to participate in this tournament. This tournament is governed by the National Bowling Association (TNBA) and United States Bowling Congress (USBC). **NO ENTRIES ACCEPTED AT THE TOURNAMENT SITE.** Any entries received after midnight, **March 22, 2025**, may be returned. All entries must show team name, the bowler's full legal name (**No Nicknames**), sex, average as of **2-28-25**, birth date, age as of **8-01-24**, TNBA and USBC certification numbers. Any entries improperly filled out, missing signed parent permission forms, league standing sheets, or the improper amount of fees will not be accepted, and **will** be returned to the sender. No entry money will be returned for any reason after the closing date. **IF AN ENTRY IS RECEIVED AFTER THE DEADLINE A LATE FEE OF TWENTY-FIVE (\$25.00) DOLLARS MUST BE PAID BEFORE THE ENTRIES ARE PROCESSED.** 

I. Participants must be certified in The National Bowling Association Junior Program and United States Bowling Congress prior to bowling. TNBA cards may be purchased on site for \$15.00.

2. Bowlers of different age divisions may bowl as a team. Bantams (9 - 11), juniors and seniors are allowed to bowl team event. Bantams (8 and under) will bowl 3 game singles during team event.

a. Teams must consist of 4 actual bowlers, and may be all boys, all girls, or mixed.

b. Each bowler may enter ONLY ONCE in each event.

# Bowlers must bowl in the order listed on the entry. Entire line-ups cannot be changed, nor can bowlers be transferred from one team to another unless a complete team is dissolved.

3. Entrants must use their highest average based on a minimum of 21 games as of February 28, 2025, OR USBC average for 2023/2024.

a. A participant who has not bowled the required minimum games will bowl scratch.

b. Scratch is defined as follows:

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Ages		Scratch	Ages	Scratch	
Seniors	(15-18)	210	Bantams (9-11)	160	
Juniors	(12-14)	190	Bantams (8 & under)	130	

c. Handicap will be based on 100% of the difference in team total and scratch within classes as follows:

	Team			Singles		Doubles		
Div	Average	Scratch	Div	Average	Scratch	Div	Average	Scratch
1	700 & over	840	1	180 & over	210	1	350 & over	420
2	699 – 600	800	2	179 – 150	200	2	349 - 300	400
3	599 – 440	720	3	149 - 110	180	3	299 – 220	360
4	439 – 237	560	4	109 – 60	140	4	219 – 120	280
5	236 – under	400	5	59 & under	100	5	119 - under	200

4. League standing sheets must accompany entries. USBC league averages as of February 28<sup>th</sup> of the current season will be used. Sports averages will be used if it is the <u>only</u> league that the bowler bowls. Such must be noted on the entry and the average will be converted according to USBC standards.

5. Bowlers will bowl three (3) games on one pair of lanes for team, doubles and singles events. Bowlers 8 and under will bowl three (3) games on one pair of lanes. Bowlers will bowl in the same order listed on the entry form.

6. Substitutes will be allowed. Reclassification may occur due to the use of a substitute. All substitution forms must be completed one (1) hour prior to the starting squad time.

a. Substitutes **MUST** be listed on a league standing sheet.

b. Once a substitute starts to bowl, he/she must complete all five (5) games or three (3) games.

7. Coaches/Team Captains must check in, with no substitutions, at least 30 minutes prior to scheduled time to bowl.

- a. Proof of certification (TNBA & USBC cards) must be provided prior to check-in.
- b. Tardy bowlers must begin the event in the frame being bowled. All missed frames will receive zero (0).
- If a team refuses to start because a full line up is not present, they shall forfeit all games that they decline to bowl.
- c. No blind scores shall be permitted.

8. Award fees will be returned 100%. In cases of ties the awards will be given to the highest actual pin fall. In the event of a championship tie the winner will be determined by greatest total of actual pin fall.

9. Youth may participate in brackets provided, the parent/legal guardian or coach completes the bracket form. The tournament will award the youth in the form of a scholarship via participant' SMART account. All bracket entries are 100% returned in the form of scholarships only.

**10.** Bowlers are required to compete in appropriate bowling attire. No Jeans or sweats allowed. Only bowling jerseys or polo shirts with collars may be worn, mock neck bowling shirts are acceptable. Bowlers are encouraged to wear a TNBA Senate or SRJT shirt. Shorts or skorts must be longer than fingertip length when arms are hanging loosely alongside the body.

**II.** No headgear, electronic or telephone equipment of any kind may be worn during tournament play.

12. Bowlers must stay in the settee area while bowling, unless excused by scorekeeper or tournament monitor.

a. Any bowler smoking during tournament play will be disqualified.

b. There will be no food or drinks in the sitting area.

#### Coaching is not allowed in the bowling area. Parents and coaches must remain in the spectator's section.

13. Violation of any rules or falsification on any entry will result in automatic disqualification of the team or bowler with NO refund of entry fee.

14. The Tournament Committee reserves all rights. Any decision they render will be final unless an appeal is made in accordance with Rule 329 (Protest & Appeals). 15. Coaches are responsible for all TNBA and USBC award applications.

### **INFORMATION FOR COACHES**

### **BE SURE:**

- to put names (No Nicknames), complete address, phone number, and email address (if available) on each entry form or permission form. Please print legible or type.

- to remember ENTRIES WILL BE SCHEDULED ON A FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE BASIS.

- all entries have team names and captains listed.
- to record the average, sex, TNBA & USBC certification number, and birth date for each bowler.
- that all names are legible and correct (no nicknames).
- to notify the Tournament Director of any changes as soon as possible. This will speed up check-in as well as allow time to make corrections and/or adjustments. - that bowlers are aware of the dress code and tournament rules.
- that the total entry fee accompanies the entry form, and all certified checks and money orders are made payable to: TNBA Junior Program (reference: WRJT). Do not remit cash. (NO LEAGUE, COMPANY OR PERSONAL CHECKS ACCEPTED).
- to keep a copy of entries for your records.

### REMEMBER: If you submit an incomplete entry, it may be returned. The FULL ENTRY FEE must be submitted!